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The Assembly met in the Legislative Chamber, Trivandrum at 11 of the clock on Wednesday, the 29th March 1950, with Mr. Speaker in the Chair.

FINANCIAL BUSINESS

Minister for Finance and Revenue **[Sri. A. J. John]**: Sir, I present a statement of Demands for Supplementary Grants for 1125 M. E. (7½ months) and move that the Demands may be taken into consideration to-morrow the 30th March 1950.

Minister for Industries, Excise and Local Self Government **[Sri. N. Kunjuraman]**: I second it.

The motion was put and carried

LEGISLATIVE BUSINESS

Sri. A. J. John: Sir, I move that the time limit fixed for submitting the report of the Select Committee on the Agricultural Income Tax Bill be extended till the 1st of April 1950.

Minister for Public Works, Communication and Agriculture **[Sri. E. John Philipose]**: I second it.

Sri. K. Sivarama Pillai: I object to that, for the simple reason that the Finance Bill has not been finalised. First there must be a law authorising the Government to collect incomes out of a particular measure. Until the Appropriation Bill is passed the suggestion could not be accepted.

Sri. A. J. John: So far as income-tax is concerned, there is the fiscal measure as well as the agricultural income-tax. The subject relating to fiscal tax belongs to the Centre and the latter item rests with this Government. The advice of the law officers is also to the effect that the levy of agricultural income-tax is a matter pertaining to this Government. In these circumstances the extension of time asked for is quite legitimate.

Sri. D. Gnanasigamony: The question is before that becomes law here, are we not to pass the Appropriation Bill?

Sri. A. J. John: From the 1st of April the Agricultural income-tax subsist in this country. Therefore there is no point in that objection.

The motion was adopted

The Travancore-Cochin Public Safety Measures Bill—*(contd.)*

Clause 3

Sri. Sree V. Das: Sir, in clause 3 I have tabled an amendment. In the amendment sheet it is printed as one amendment instead of two. I want permission to move them separately.

Mr. Speaker: Let the amendment be moved first.

ஸ்ரீ. ஸ்ரீ. வி. தாஸ்: Delete (2) (a) and renumber, and in section (2) (c) delete 'or prohibiting by licenses, permits or otherwise' after 'regulating'

நான் இந்தத் திருத்தத்தைக்கொண்டு வருவதற்குள்ள காரணம், இதில் அடங்கியிருக்கக்கூடிய அதிகாரங்கள், 3 வது கிளாஸ் 1 வது செக்ஷனில் அடங்கியிருக்கின்றது. சகலவிதமான அதிகாரங்களும் ஒன்றுவது கிளாஸில் இருக்கும்போது, கூடுதலாக தனிப்பட்ட முறையில் ஒரு விசேஷமான அதிகாரத்திற்கு அவசியமேயில்லை. அதோடு, இந்தக் கிளாஸில் குறிப்பிட்டிருக்கிற விஷயத்தை நன்றாக கவனித்துப் பார்த்தால் இந்த கொச்சி-திருவிதாங்கூர் சமஸ்தானத்திலே அதிகப் பொருள்

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